



HONEY, I'VE  
RESOLVED TO  
HAVE A  
VACATION.

OH, WELL,  
THE KIDS  
HAVE ALWAYS  
WANTED TO-

WITHOUT  
THE KIDS.



WELL, IF YOU WANT  
A DAY OR TWO  
AWAY, I COULD  
WATCH AFTER THE  
KIDS.

LAST TIME  
YOU DID, YOU  
BROUGHT HOME  
THE WRONG  
FOOD AND  
ABIGAIL TRIED  
TO EAT YOUR  
HEAD.

AH, MY  
LITTLE  
SCAMP.



BESIDES, I'D  
WANT YOU TO  
COME WITH  
ME.

OH WELL  
THEN!  
PERSUADE  
ME!





SO, FISK AND I WERE GOING TO SAVANNAH FOR A FEW DAYS AND WE WERE JUST WONDERING...

MOM?



...IF... UH... IF YOU WOULDN'T MIND...

MOM?

PANT PANT PANT PANT



...YOU KNOW, I THINK YOU'VE ALREADY GOT YOUR HANDS FULL.

MOM?  
MOM?  
MOM?  
MOM?

BARK!  
BARK!  
BARK!



DOES *SHE*  
HAVE KIDS,  
TOO?


YOU SHOULD ASK MY  
NIECE! SHE'S VISITING  
FROM FLORIDA WHILE  
TAKING A BREAK  
FROM COLLEGE.

SHE COULD  
STAND TO LIVE  
OUTSIDE OUR  
CROWDED  
HOUSE FOR A  
FEW DAYS,  
TOO!



OH  
NO!

SHE'S STILL  
IN COLLEGE,  
AFTER ALL.



AND UH... SHE  
ISN'T STARTING  
NEARLY AS  
EARLY AS I  
DID.

AHHH  
YES.



HEY,  
FREAK  
SHOW!

WHAT DO  
YOU WANT,  
JACKBALL?


MOM'S HIRED  
JESSICA'S NIECE  
TO BABYSIT US  
WHILE THEY GO OFF  
FOR A FEW DAYS.



HAH!

I'D LIKE  
TO SEE  
YOU TRY!

I'M DUTY BOUND  
TO INFORM YOU THAT  
IF YOU GIVE HER A  
HARD TIME, I'M  
ALLOWED TO KICK  
YOUR ASS AROUND  
THE BLOCK FOR  
DRILL.



DONT MAKE US  
LOOK LIKE A BUNCH  
OF ANIMALS IN  
FRONT OF TRIXIE!

AS LONG AS  
MOM ISN'T  
HERE, SHE'S  
MOM TO YOU!



SHE  
IS?

WILL SHE  
HAVE DINNER  
READY BY  
SEVEN?

GOODNESS,  
I HOPE SO.



HEY, TRIxie.  
YOU LIVE IN  
FLORIDA,  
RIGHT?

I LOVE  
VISITING  
FLORIDA.  
WHAT'S IT LIKE  
TO LIVE  
THERE?

YEP!

OH, IT'S LIKE  
LIVING  
ANYWHERE  
ELSE,  
REALLY...

YEAH?

EXCEPT IT'S  
TOTALLY  
AWESOME!

I  
KNEW  
IT!

EVERYONE'S  
OLD AND  
SWEET OR  
YOUNG AND  
HOT!

THERE'S  
HARDLY ANY  
WINTER!

IF YOU GET  
TOO HOT, YOU  
JUST WAIT A  
COUPLE MINUTES  
FOR RAIN!

YOU'RE  
NEVER MORE  
THAN AN HOUR  
FROM A  
BEACH!



HON, WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS PLACE WE'RE GOING?



OHNNNNH,  
THAT'S  
WHY...


THAT'S  
WHY  
WHAT?

JESSICA TOLD  
ME ABOUT IT. HER  
AND ROBERT  
USED TO GO  
THERE A LOT  
WHEN THEY WERE  
IN THE SAVANNAH  
AREA.



DID YOU *NOT*  
NOTICE IT'S A  
"CLOTHING  
OPTIONAL"  
PLACE?

WHAT!?



HON, IT EVEN HAS  
A LINK THAT SAYS  
NOT TO CLICK IT  
IF YOU'RE  
OFFENDED BY  
NUDITY!

WELL YEAH!  
THAT'S WHY I  
DIDN'T CLICK  
IT!



OH, WILL YOU RELAX, HONEY.

IT'S CLOTHING *OPTIONAL*. I'M SURE NOT EVERYONE IS NUDED UP!



HI.

SQUEAK!




HM. NOT MUCH OF A *PENIS* AT THIS POINT.

MORE LIKE A *KNOTHOLE*.

LET'S GOOO...





AHH, THIS  
ISN'T SO  
BAD.



MMM.



I WONDER  
HOW THE  
KIDS ARE  
DOING?



**THOMAS!**  
GET OFF THE  
ROOF RIGHT  
NOW!

YOU CAN'T  
FLY WITH  
**STYROFOAM**  
**COOLER**  
LIDS!






YOU COULD HAVE **REALLY** HURT YOURSELF!



SICK OF ADULTS ALWAYS TELLING ME I CAN HURT MYSELF...

... SICK OF THEM TELLING ME **EVERYTHING** I CAN'T DO!

WHAT WOULD YOUR PARENTS DO IF YOU DID?



ADULTS MAKE RULES BECAUSE THEY KNOW MORE.

IF YOU DON'T FOLLOW THEM, YOU'LL END UP LIKE **SAMMY THOMPSON!**



WHO?




SAMMY THOMPSON WAS A LITTLE BOY WHO WAS TIRED OF ADULT RULES. SO HE RAN AWAY INTO THE WOODS WHERE HE COULD BE WITH **OTHER** RUNAWAY KIDS AND LIVE BY THEIR OWN **KID-RULES**.

AND THEN HE **DIED!**



DIED OF **WHAT?**



HE WAS EITHER **RIPPED TO SHREDS** BY WILD BOARS, OR HE DIED OF A BURST APPENDIX.

I HEARD  
WHAT  
THOMAS  
DID.

CAN I  
KICK HIS  
BUTT?

NO, THAT'S  
OKAY,  
JANIE.

I SENT HIM  
TO HIS ROOM  
HE'S JUST  
BEING A BOY,  
AFTER ALL.

BOYS *HAVE*  
TO BE WILD.  
IT'S IN THEIR  
NATURE.

THEN THEY  
GROW UP TO BE  
HEADSTRONG  
*REBELS* AND  
DASHING  
*HEROES!*

RIGHT NOW,  
THOMAS IS A  
REBEL, BUT *AGE*  
WILL MAKE HIM  
*DASHING!*

ARE  
YOU  
SURE?

ARE  
YOU  
SURE?

UH  
HUH!

MAN, I  
*NEVER* GET  
TO HAVE  
ANY FUN.

MMM, I  
KNOW.

IT'S 8:30, ABIGAIL. IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO GO TO BED.

CAN YOU READ TO ME FIRST, LIKE MOM DOES?

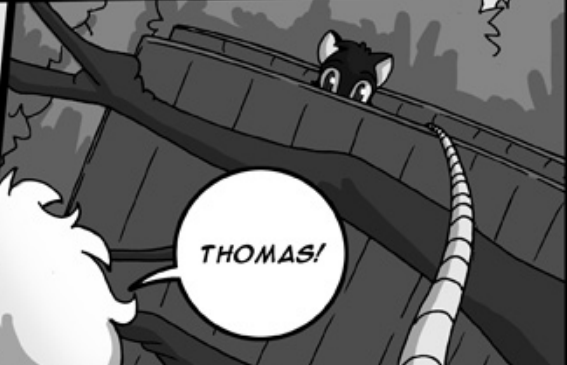
SURE!

ARE THESE YOUR BOOKS?

YES. WE'RE WORKING THROUGH THE ONE TURNED SIDWAYS ON THE MIDDLE SHELF.


"INTERVENTIONISM, AN ECONOMIC ANALYSIS," BY LUDWIG VON MISES.







OMMMMMW!



YOU'RE IN  
A LOT OF  
TROUBLE,  
YOU BRAT!



SHOULD I  
TEXT  
SOMEONE?



MAYBE I  
SHOULD MAKE  
A TWEET OR  
TWO.



OHHHHH,  
PHOTO  
GALLERY!



DON'T YOU KNOW  
A DOWN-ANGLE  
SHOT OF YOUR  
FACE AND  
CLEAVAGE IS  
FACEBOOK FOR  
"HI, I'M FAT?"



I'M  
NOT  
FAT!



WELL?

NOT SO FAST.

I STILL HAVE A PLAN!

SWAP

MALES OF ALL AGES HAVE A SIMILAR WEAKNESS.

SMART WOMEN CAN EXPLOIT IT WITHOUT USING VIOLENCE.

WEAKNESS?



OHhhh, NICE!

GO GET A FAN SO WE CAN BLOW MORE OF THE SMELL TOWARD THE TREE HOUSE.

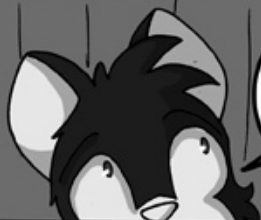
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OH MAN,  
THAT GRILLIN'  
SMELLS  
GOOD!



DON'T  
FALL FOR  
IT.



!?

WHO  
ARE  
YOU!?



HMP.



THUMP!


WHOA!  
SERIOUS?



SAMMY  
THOMPSON,  
AT YOUR  
SERVICE.







CELL PHONE.  
VIDEO GAMES. ALL  
THIS JUNK YOU  
DON'T NEED. THIS IS  
ALL FROM THE  
WORLD OF  
ADULTS.

BUT I LIKE  
THESE  
THINGS!

ADULTS  
MAKE THE RULES  
YOU DON'T LIKE  
BASED ON THEIR  
UNDERSTANDING  
OF THE  
WORLD.

THOSE TOYS,  
THOSE THINGS NO  
KID  
COULD MAKE, ARE  
ALSO THE RESULT OF  
AN ADULT  
UNDERSTANDING.  
THEY WON'T WORK  
WHERE WE'RE  
GOING.

OH...

ADULTS  
MANIPULATE  
THE WORLD.  
WE GENERATE  
WORLDS IN  
OUR MINDS!

YOU DON'T NEED  
GAMES ADULTS  
GIVE YOU WHEN  
EVERY DAY IS A  
GAME!

LIFE  
WITHOUT  
RULES  
SOUNDS  
FUN!

THE ADULT  
IMAGINATION IS  
LIMITED TO  
REALITY. THE  
WORLD OF  
CHILDREN IS SO  
MUCH MORE  
THAN THAT!

YOU'RE  
GONNA  
LOVE IT.

I  
PROMISE!



WELCOME TO  
KID-OPOLIS!



WHERE YOU  
NEVER HAVE  
TO TAKE A  
BATH!



AND YOU  
CAN EAT  
WHATEVER  
YOU FIND!

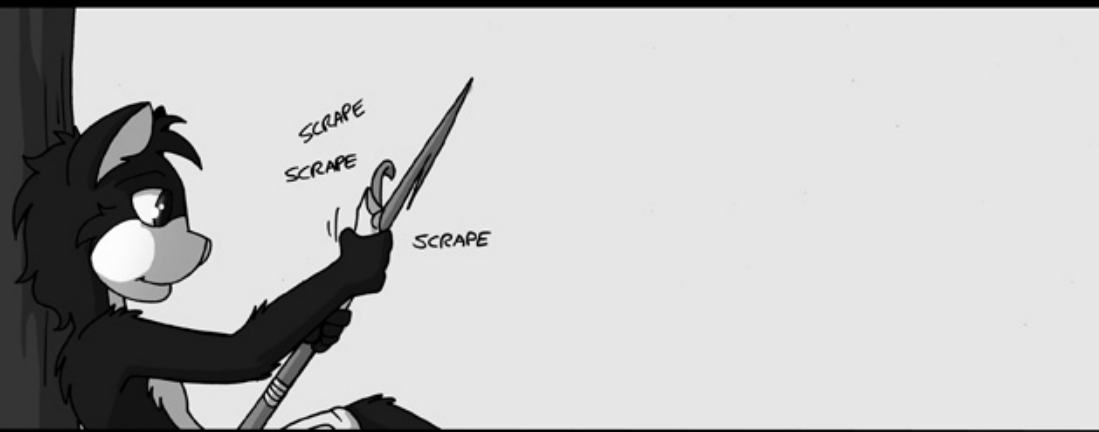
NO  
VEGGIES!



GO BUILD A  
SHELTER AND  
START LIVING  
THE GOOD  
LIFE!

A  
KID'S  
LIFE!

AH...



SCRAPE  
SCRAPE  
SCRAPE



WHAT DO YOU HAVE THERE?



I MADE A BETTER SPEAR SO I DON'T HAVE TO EAT BUGS.

LET ME SEE?



AHH VERY WELL DONE!

IT'S GOT GREAT BALANCE. VERY AWESOME.

I MAY CALL THIS.

CALL IT WHAT?



I CALLED IT. BY KID RULES THAT MEANS IT'S MINE.

HEY!

**BUT I MADE IT!**

**AND I CALLED IT.**

**YOU DIDN'T EARN IT!**

**EARN IS AN ADULT CONCEPT. KIDS JUST DO.**

**BUT I MADE IT WITH MY HANDS.**

**I USED MY MIND TO THINK OF IT.**

**IT WAS MY TIME THAT WAS SPENT!**

**WITHOUT MY TIME, IT WOULDN'T EVEN EXIST!**

**WELL, I GUESS YOU COULD FIGHT ME FOR IT.**

**I SHOULDN'T HAVE TO!**

**IT'S MINE BY RIGHT!**



HE'S *STILL*  
NOT  
COMING  
DOWN.



YOUR  
BROTHER IS  
TOUGHER  
THAN HE  
LOOKS!

WHAT A  
HERO!  
WHAT WILL  
POWER!



HE'S GOING TO  
GROW UP TO  
BE SUCH AN  
AWESOME  
GUY!



THERE'S A LADDER  
IN THE GARAGE  
THAT CAN REACH  
THE TREEHOUSE,  
YOU KNOW.

WELL  
HELL!  
LET'S GO  
GET IT!



YOU WANT  
IT SO  
BADLY!?

CATCH!



AH!



WHEW.  
JUST A  
DREAM.



YEAH,  
WELL, I'M  
NOT!

OH  
BALLS.





YOU WERE ASLEEP?

YEAH. I DREAMT ABOUT SAMMY THOMPSON!

OH?

WE WERE GOING TO LIVE BY KID RULES. BUT HE TOOK SOMETHING I MADE FROM ME BECAUSE HE "CALLED" IT.

THEN I TOLD HIM HE PROMISED I'D BE HAPPY, BUT HE SAID HE HAD HIS **FINGERS CROSSED!**

SO I SAID I WAS LEAVING, AND HE SAID I COULDN'T BECAUSE I'D TELL OTHERS AND I PROMISED NOT TO!

SO I CALLED "TAKE-BACKS" ON MY PROMISE.

THEN HE TRIED TO KILL ME, AND I WOKE UP.

HERE'S YOUR PHONE BACK.

IT WAS WRONG FOR ME TO TAKE YOUR STUFF NO MATTER HOW **FUN** IT WAS.